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SUBJECT: DETENTION OF GLOBAL TRADER IN BASRA

- 1. DEPARTMENT CONTACTED BY MR. JACK RAUH, CHARTERING MANAGER FOR AFFILIATED SHIPPING AGENCY, CLEVELAND, OHIO, WHO SAYS GOI IS HOLDING IN BASRA THE GLOBAL TRADER, SHIP UNDER CHARTER BY HIS COMPANY. RAUH SAYS GLOBAL TRADER, WHICH FLIES GREEK FLAG AND IS OWNED BY COMPANY WITH AMERICAN INTERESTS BASED IN LIBERIA, DISCHARGED CARGO OF RICE IN BASRA ON AUGUST 12. AS SHIP WAS PREPARING TO DEPART CAPTAIN WAS ORDERED TO TIE UP IN BASRA RIVER AND INFORMED THAT GLOBAL TRADER IS ON ARAB BLACKLIST. RAUH SAYS TIE-UP IS COSTING AFFILIATED SHIPPING APPROXIMATELY DOLS 4,000 DAILY AND COMPANY NATURALLY ANXIOUS TO SECURE SHIP'S RELEASE.
- 2. REQUEST YOU ASCERTAIN FACTS FROM GOI ASAP AND REPORT. KISSINGER

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